State of Arizona House of Representatives Forty-fifth Legislature Second Regular Session 2002

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HOUSE BILL 2616

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 43-1072.01, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX CREDITS.

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

Section 1. Subject to the requirements of article IV, part 1, section 1, subsection (6), Constitution of Arizona, section 43-1072.01, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

43-1072.01. Credit for increased excise taxes paid

- A. Subject to the conditions prescribed by this section and if approved by the qualified electors voting at a statewide general election, for tax years beginning from and after December 31, 2000 a credit is allowed against the taxes imposed by this chapter for a taxable year for a taxpayer who is not claimed as a dependent by any other taxpayer and whose federal adjusted gross income is:
- 1. Twenty-five thousand dollars or less for a married couple or a single person who is a head of a household.
- 2. Twelve thousand five hundred dollars or less for a single person or a married person filing separately.
- B. The credit is considered to be in mitigation of increased tax rates pursuant to section 42-5010, subsection G and section 42-5155, subsection D.
- C. The amount of the credit shall not exceed twenty-five dollars for each person who is a resident of this state and for whom a personal or dependent exemption is allowed with respect to the taxpayer pursuant to section 43-1023, subsection B, paragraph 1 and section 43-1043, but not more than one hundred dollars for all persons in the taxpayer's household, as defined in section 43-1072.
- D. If the allowable amount of the credit exceeds the income taxes otherwise due on the claimant's income, the amount of the claim not used as an offset against income taxes shall be paid in the same manner as a refund granted under section 42-1118. Refunds made pursuant to this subsection are subject to setoff under section 42-1122.
- E. The department shall make available suitable forms with instructions for claimants. Claimants who certify on the prescribed form that they have no income tax liability for the taxable year and who do not meet the filing requirements of section 43-301 are not required to file an individual income tax return. The claim shall be in a form prescribed by the department.
- F. FOR TAXABLE YEARS BEGINNING FROM AND AFTER DECEMBER 31, 2002, A PERSON WHO IS SENTENCED FOR AT LEAST SIXTY DAYS OF THE TAXABLE YEAR TO THE CUSTODY OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF PRISONS, THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS OR A COUNTY JAIL IS NOT ELIGIBLE TO CLAIM A CREDIT PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.

Sec. 2. Requirements for enactment; three-fourths vote

Pursuant to article IV, part 1, section 1, subsection (6), Constitution of Arizona, section 43-1072.01, Arizona Revised Statutes, as amended by this act, is effective only on the affirmative vote of at least three-fourths of the members of each house of the legislature.



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Sec. 3. Requirements for enactment: two-thirds vote

Pursuant to article IX, section 22, Constitution of Arizona, this act is effective only on the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the members of each house of the legislature and is effective immediately on the signature of the governor or, if the governor vetoes this act, on the subsequent affirmative vote of at least three-fourths of the members of each house of the legislature.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR MAY 21, 2002.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE MAY 22, 2002.



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May 16, 2002,
by the following vote:5/ Ayes,
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